(*b*) the number of cases settled by way of conciliation and the number of cases settled by Court in MISL;

(*c*) the total amount paid to the workers during last four years in both the Concerns (year-wise figures may kindly be furnished);

(*d*) whether there are any precedents to make an *ex-gratia* payment or awards to the workers at the time of performing Silver Jubilee and Golden Jubilee in State to keep the workers contended and to maintain cordial relationship?

Sri S. M. KRISHNA (Minister for Industries).—

(*a*) MISL—The number of demands of labourers pending is seven.

(*b*) Cases settled by way of conciliation in MISL—Three.
Cases settled by the Court—MISL—One

(*c*) The total emoluments paid by MISL to monthly and converted monthly rated staff for the last three years and also upto January 1973 (for 1972-73) are as below):—

1969-70	1970-71	1971-72	1972-73 (upto January 1973)
	Monthly rated staff (salaries)		
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
100,69,357	123,66,465	139,37,769	126,31,11
	Converted monthly rated staff (wages)		
190,57,057	242,92,441	270,91,159	241,83,943
291,26,414	366,58,904	410,28,927	368,15,654

(*d*) MISL—So far there are no such precedents in the Company for having paid *ex-gratia* sum at the time of celebrating Silver Jubilee.

SCALE OF PAY TO PANCHAYAT SECRETARIES IN DHARWAR DISTRICT.

26. Sri B. G. BANAKAR (Hirekerur).—

Will the Minister for Community Development and Social Welfare be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether many of the Panchayat Secretaries in Dharwar District are being paid the monthly salary of Rs. 50 without any D.A. for the last4-5 years?

(*b*) if so, the reasons for not sanctioning a graded scale of pay?

Sri M. MALLIKARJUNASWAMY (Minister for Community Development and Social Welfare) .—

(*a*) 137 Panchayat Secretaries in Dharwar District who were recruited as Part-time Panchayat Secretaries as per provision of Rule 9-A of the Mysore Government Service (Panchayat Secretaries) Branch (Cadre and Recruitment) (Amendment) Rule 1962 purely on temporary basis, pending appointment of Village Accountants of the Revenue Department as *Ex-Officio* Panchayat Secretaries, are being paid the consolidated pay of Rs. 50 per month as specified in the above said Rule.

(*b*) In view of the reply to clause (*a*) the question does not arise.

GOVERNMENT ADVOCATES

32. Sri B. G. BANAKAR (Hirekerur) .—

Will the Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number and names of the Government Advocates appointed in the High Court of Mysore to conduct cases on behalf of the Government ;

(*b*) the number of cases handled by them and the number of cases won during the last three years ;

(*c*) the action Government would take against Government Advocates who fail to win more than 50 per cent cases entrusted to them ?

Sri D. K. NAIKAR (Minister for Law and Parliamentary Affairs.—

(*a*) Three (*Vide* list appended)

1. Sri Chandrakantharaj Urs, Government Advocate.
2. Sri Venkatachala, Additional Government Advocate.
3. Sri K. S. Puttaswamy, I Additional Government Advocate.

(*b*) They have been appointed only in May, June 1972 and have not yet completed the period of three years. Hence this question cannot be answered.